

# OXFORD OBSERVER.

{ TWO DOLLARS PER ANNUM—OR ONE DOLLAR  
& SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS IF PAID IN ADVANCE. }

BY WILLIAM E. GOODNOW AND WILLIAM P. PHELPS.

{ ADVERTISEMENTS conspicuously inserted at the usual rates.  
{ COMMUNICATIONS for publication, must come postage paid. }

VOLUME VI.

NORWAY, MAINE, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1889.

NUMBER 23.

## THE REFLECTOR.

The morning of Life is clear and beautiful—not a cloud floats upon the sky, not a breeze fans the earth but brings sweet tidings upon its wings, and is a fresh source of joy. In our youth we look upon Nature with the eye of an enthusiast and drink in the beauties of a landscape as it were a part of Heaven. How often have I strolled out into the woods and along the hills, and given myself up to the full influence of my feelings. I have sat down in the beautiful hour of Twilight, and let my imagination run riot among the glittering throng of clouds that wreathed their golden folds around the setting sun. I have gone out beneath the sky when the stars were lighting up the limitless space, and felt that every breeze that waved its plumes around me was fresh from heaven—unmixed with earth, and unsoftened by a dream of Paradise. Oh! there is a pure and blessed influence upon the soul at such an hour, and aspirations, higher and holier than earth can give, go off to the realms of love. Fancy, free and unfettered as the morning breeze, fills the air with forms fairer than the Turkish houri, and paints upon every cloud that rolls in a flood of glory along the west, scenes that can only be realized within the gates of Eden. And every star that looks in beauty from the azure sky, seems a spirit of a better sphere roaming those fields of trackless blue, that hang on high like the canopy of Space.

There are glories in the sky, and the air, and in the fields, which the plodding man of the world never dreams of.—There is the melody of heaven in the evening wind—there is a delicious and soothing music in the brawling of a mountain brook, and the gurgling of limpid waters, which he never hears.—“A rapture in the pathless woods”—a joy in silent communion with nature, of which he is not susceptible. He does not hear the song of joy that flies upon the wings of Spring—he cannot feel that the winds of Autumn as they rustle among the falling leaves, are but the low and melancholy dirge of Summer. He cannot stand upon the mountain's top when the spirit of the tempest is out, when all the banners clouds are unfurled, the elements at war, and the thunders and lightnings of heaven battling fearfully with the demons of the storm, and feel himself a part of the scene around him, and go off, in the height of inspiration, to ride upon the sea of clouds that are rolling in masses of blackness along the air. No! It is the poet that changes with the face of Nature. It is the poet whose mind mirrors the beauty of heaven. It is the poet who makes a cloud his ear to wait him to realms beyond the reach of human ken. He feels, when the dews of evening are falling upon his throbbing brow, that they are but the incense of heaven, scattered from a bounteous hand; and that the twilight shadows rolling in imperceptible folds across the sky, are but the unseen spirits of the air, waving their shadowy plumes along the unimagined depths of blue, and veiling the sky but to bring to the view of man, beauties unrivaled and undimmed.

There is an inexhaustible source of joy, in the lone and silent communings of the heart with nature. The hand of an unseen being seems to drop balm upon the lacerated mind, when it steals out to worship at Nature's shrine.—Breathings of a better world come upon it, and fill the senses into a momentary forgetfulness of earthly thoughts. 'Tis then the aspirations of the soul are pure and unsoftened as the first rays of morn; the passions are calmed—the irritated mind is soothed, and the world, with all its troubles and vexations is forgotten. Though the world should frown upon us, and the clouds of lost hopes, and despair hover round us, like the smoke of desolation round the ruins of a temple, still the contemplative mind will ever take a pleasure in these journeyings to Nature's places of worship.—These are the heart's treasures which can never be taken away.—Parterre.

## ANTICIPATION.

This cold world of ours amidst its multiplicity of ills, and while it seems to delight alone, in throwing over man the hoar frosts of a soul chilling destiny, is not without its redeeming intervals of happiness. There is a cheering Oasis in the drear wilderness of its sorrows. A ray of Heavenly sunshine, that gleams occasionally through the woebegone darkness of human wanderings. Have we parted from those we love—love dearer, oh! dearer than life itself? And has the separation insulated us, cut us off from every earthly felicity, and left us sad and alone, though in the midst of cheerful faces? Has it made us aliens and strangers amidst the crowd that surrounds us; with no other hold upon its good feelings, than the stranger's claim to the stranger's kindness?

There are still bright spots in the sombre shadowings of the scene; for the isolated heart has found perhaps in every acquaintance a friend, and in every bosom the evidence of kindly feeling! But above all, there is in the gloomiest hour of its loneliness a mellow tint in the rainbow of hope, which nought save despair itself can obscure. It is the hope of meeting again, the object of all that the heart prizes in its affections, and all it dwells upon in the musings of its anticipations! Anticipation! Thou art the sweetener of this bitter life. 'Tis thou that drivest gloom from the gloomy heart, and chasest away the sorrows that intrude themselves upon the sorrowful. 'Tis thou that takest

“The sting from adieu.”

That learnedest us to forget the burning bitterness of the last ‘farewell and God bless you,’ in the accompanying redemption of the valedictory ‘We shall meet ere long.’

“Tis thou that learns the heart its flight  
“From present woe, to hoped delight.”

There is not in human sensibility, so bright a ministration of happiness as this. To be assured amidst the stormy vicissitudes of life, that there is one who thinks of you—who communes with your sorrows, and weeps over them, though distant; and who will shortly hover over you with the consolations which affection can alone impart, is an emotion, that no one can appreciate, but he who has felt it.—Camden Journal.

## MISCELLANY.

[FROM THE OXFORD OBSERVER.]  
FORT BRADDOCK LETTERS.

NO. III.

“Ah who can tell how hard it is to climb  
The steep where Fame's proud temple shines afar.”

The scholars were dismissed from Saybrook, and each betook himself to his home and entered upon the course of life which his friends of his fortune had prescribed for him. Du Quesne, with whom we must at present continue, repaired to New-York, where upon his being admitted to the bar, as in due time he was, his mysterious supply of money was withheld, and he was left without relatives or connections, to make the slow and uncertain progress in the business of his profession. He was of a temperament of mind much too sensitive for his own comfort, in a calling, which at that time at any rate, however, it may be at present, exposed him to altercation, contradiction, and that sharp and harsh collision, which tries and strengthens the passions of the heart, at least as much as it does the faculties of the mind.

He had a natural and easy eloquence, and more taste of learning than most of his associates. His attention to his business was strict, but it was forced, and his occasional success embittered his enemies more than it conciliated his friends. He even conceived at times, that the courts before whom he practised had their favorites, and that he was not in the number. Sometimes neglected, always opposed, and often mortified he yet patiently persevered—though he soon found him self the object of personal enmity, and was convinced of attempts to defeat his progress. He resolved to exert his industry to acquire the means of support in some place in the new settlements as remote as consistent with personal security, where land was cheap and where independence might easily be purchased. This vision of comfort he cherished in secret, and resorted to it in his day-dreams as his standing consolation. But his enemies were too active, and shortened the period which was necessary to his success. Some bills and papers relating to claims in a suit to a large amount, and which were entrusted to him, were missing, as he found when he was preparing his cases. He searched in vain—his anxiety amount to distress. He feared to ask for any accommodation, for it was attended with the risk of disclosure. Those who had artfully accomplished their objects by involving him in this embarrassment, were little likely to show him favor. There was no alternative—after weeks of agony the term began, the suits were defeated, he was personally liable for the loss and industriously exposed to censure.—His employers were advised to their remedy against him, and the least of his troubles was the constant idea of being arrested.

One morning, very early, with an agitated mind he crossed the river to the Jersey shore, for the sake of relieving, or indulging his melancholy, and having to himself a few moments of solitude & security. There was a retired spot at no great distance from the shore, sheltered by trees and surrounded with rural beauty, which seemed to invite the solitary and offer its quiet scenery to soothe the angry passions, and imperceptibly to substitute feelings of a softer kind.—And yet this very place, from that very day to this, has been the battle ground of

wounded honor. How often has it witnessed the worst of passions, and how rich has been the blood that has at times been shed there! To this spot he was unconsciously approaching when he was roused by the near report of fire arms. He quickened his pace in the direction of the noise, and on coming to a natural lawn among the trees, discovered a man upon the ground apparently wounded, and just fallen. Three others were hurrying through the thicket and evidently bent on a hasty escape. The nature of this transaction was evident. He called upon the fugitives in vain—he followed them at a distance till they were out of sight, and then returned when he found there was no hope of assistance towards the wounded man. He stepped in his way only to take up a pistol which lay on the ground about ten paces distant from the object of his attention. On his reaching the wounded man, what was his astonishment to find his own most bitter enemy and rival lay speechless & dying! He looked up with an expression unutterable, when he saw who it was that came his assistance, and made a violent attempt to speak, gasped and died. At this moment Du Quesne was stooping to raise the body already lifeless, when several men who had been alarmed by the same noise which drew him to the place, rushed hastily, and as he began to ask them attently for help recited him as their prisoner and charged him with the murder.

His surprise made his answers incoherent, and his agitation, to their eyes was evidence of his guilt. In this state of mind he was conveyed to the city, taken before a magistrate, and charged with the fact. On the examination it appeared that the pistol found in his possession had been recently discharged the lock was sprung, and the smell and marks of newly burnt powder were strong about it. A surgeon had extracted a ball from the dead man, which exactly corresponded with the caliber of the pistol. It was likewise in proof that there had been a bitter enmity between the deceased and the accused.

“You are a lawyer, Mr. Du Quesne (said the magistrate,) and know that you can answer or not to the charge.—What say you? Is there any reason why you should not be fully committed for trial? The offence is not bailable you know.” “And if it were,” said Du Quesne, “I have no bail.” “Do you choose to attempt any defence or explanation? It will be evidence against you you know, though not in your favor.—You are agitated—take a moment's time.”

This moment's time helped little to compose the prisoner's spirits. He cast his eye round the room filled with boys and men, black and white, ragged, dirty and vulgar. It occurred to him how absurd it was, in the presence of such an audience, to say to a Dutch Justice, that his morning's walk was one of sentiment, and the scenery and silence operated upon the workings of his mind to cross the river.

He contented himself with a simple declaration of his own innocence, which he knew the Justice did not believe, & mustering his self-possession, said he was without evidence and without friends. He uttered this last word with a voice, and in a manner that would have done the best of actors. A tear slid upon his long and drooping eyelash, and fell upon the floor, it was succeeded by another—his face was fixed, and the last word, friends, had recalled to his mind some strong recollections.

The Justice was looking fully at him, and felt for his distress. He had no opinion of the deceased, and as far as morals were concerned could excuse the man who met his adversary in an honorable way. He went up to him and led him to the further corner of the room. “My worthy friend, (said he) confess the whole; I'll help you if I can—he was a good for nothing fellow, and I have no doubt, fairly killed: come tell me what you have to say.”

“Mr. Van Erp, (said the prisoner,) upon my soul's safety, I am not guilty.” “Oh, I know that, (said the Justice,) it is no great crime in a fair way, to dispose of such a fellow, especially in your case—but don't deny the fact; you may confide.”

“Yes, I do confide, while I tell you that I did not do it.”

“What! (said the Justice,) not shoot him?”

“No I did not.”

“Be it so, (said the Justice, incredulously shaking his head,) you are a lawyer, and have heard the evidence; you know I must commit you—delay is useless.”

The ‘Squire, as he was termed, made out his mittimus himself, (for in this country magistrates have no clerks,) and Du Quesne was followed to the jail by the rabble that had attended his trial. The jail then stood on the East River, near the centre of that busy spot where there are now so many slips and grocers, where the streets are so dirty, and the

passage so difficult. The building itself I will tell you. When I was thirteen was made partly of stone and partly of logs; and the jail-house, in which the keeper and his family lived, was part of the building. The Jailor, too, was a man of some distinction; and by virtue of his office, a member of the city corporation. In one of the cells of this establishment, was our highminded and aspiring friend locked up, and left to his own thoughts, and left to his own meditations. It was some time before he could regain his self-possession, and his busy thoughts then suggested to him the certainty of his fate, the shortness of the interval, and the agonizing reflection with which that interval must be marked. The gallows would be the last thing before his closing eyes at night, and the first thought which the mild beams of morning would bring along with it. His very slumbers were disturbed with dreams—dreams of the throng of faces which would surround the place of his execution, vacant, vulgar and unfeeling—dreams of the cart and hangman and the coffin on which he would sit, and of the awful dialogue with his ghostly confessor, about his future state—the dread moment with the Sheriff, ‘you have half an hour to live,’ and the grave ready dug at the foot of the scaffold.—These dreams awake him only to the consciousness that all was true! When awake he meditated on his hopes of his acquittal. The law on duty was very severe and the common law called it murder. The statute, however, in those sad times, unlike those of modern and more impartial days, was equally administered.—Some, who had friends, could transgress with impunity, while others were left to the rigors of the law. It was easy for the Judge to show that the law was plain, and that conviction was inevitable. It was equally satisfactory to hear him put analogous cases, and show that the man, who on sudden provocation would be guilty only of man-slaughter, if he should exercise a noble forbearance and give his adversary a chance for his life, would commit a crime still less when he killed his man in a fair and honorable duel.

But our friendless prisoner was well aware that very little ingenuity from the bench would be exercised in his favor, the most impartial direction would be, that the law should take its course. Nearly five years had elapsed since his residence at Saybrook. To this last peaceful period of his life his thoughts naturally recurred, and dwelt on the only friendship with which his days had been sweetened. Dudley was probably on the ocean, and would hear of his misfortunes only to bewail his death.

He very well knew where Van Tromp lived, but did not see how he could assist. Yet his presence, his influence, and perhaps counsel, might relieve, if not avert his sufferings. There was at that time a regular communication kept up between the Dutch settlements at New-Amsterdam, and French Posts on the Canada lake, by the way of North River and Lake Champlain. To be sure, as the residence of Van Tromp was out of the way, and the country was wild, the arrival of a letter was uncertain; yet as he had nothing else to do, he determined if only to feed his hopes, to write letters, by every return of the carrier, and by every other opportunity of sending to that vicinity.

His letters were nearly of the same tenor, all conversant about the same thing. The only one preserved is the following:

JAIL AT NEW AMSTERDAM.—  
“My dear and only friend—I am here confined as a criminal, on a capital charge, and am to be tried in about ten months with no hopes of being acquitted. To you it is not necessary for me to go in detail; I know your confidence in me is such, that you will take my declaration that I am wholly innocent; for I would not call you to rescue the guilty. My only solace is, that I disclose my every thought to you, that I can repose upon your friendship with perfect security, and rely on your exertions as fully as on my own. My thoughts are too distracted to devise any mode of assistance; I leave that to you. Yet use your influence and though it may be all in vain, let me, if possible see you once more. CARLOS DU QUESNE.”

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

“MIND YOUR BUSINESS.”  
“There,” said my Grandfather, “are three words worth more than a volume of such trash as young people read now a days. I assure you Dunson, that they have been of more service to me than all your Philosophy, Chemistry, Rhetoric, or star gazing notions could have been. You may wonder if you please, but what I tell you is true, and much more; for I tell you if I had never seen nor heard of them, you never would have known Philosophy from Rhetoric, or how to fill bladders with air that would burn brighter than a rush light. “Should you like to know how it was of so much service to me?—Listen and

passage so difficult. The building itself I will tell you. When I was thirteen was made partly of stone and partly of logs; and the jail-house, in which the keeper and his family lived, was part of the building. The Jailor, too, was a man of some distinction; and by virtue of his office, a member of the city corporation. In one of the cells of this establishment, was our highminded and aspiring friend locked up, and left to his own thoughts, and left to his own meditations. It was some time before he could regain his self-possession, and his busy thoughts then suggested to him the certainty of his fate, the shortness of the interval, and the agonizing reflection with which that interval must be marked. The gallows would be the last thing before his closing eyes at night, and the first thought which the mild beams of morning would bring along with it. His very slumbers were disturbed with dreams—dreams of the throng of faces which would surround the place of his execution, vacant, vulgar and unfeeling—dreams of the cart and hangman and the coffin on which he would sit, and of the awful dialogue with his ghostly confessor, about his future state—the dread moment with the Sheriff, ‘you have half an hour to live,’ and the grave ready dug at the foot of the scaffold.—These dreams awake him only to the consciousness that all was true! When awake he meditated on his hopes of his acquittal. The law on duty was very severe and the common law called it murder. The statute, however, in those sad times, unlike those of modern and more impartial days, was equally administered.—Some, who had friends, could transgress with impunity, while others were left to the rigors of the law. It was easy for the Judge to show that the law was plain, and that conviction was inevitable. It was equally satisfactory to hear him put analogous cases, and show that the man, who on sudden provocation would be guilty only of man-slaughter, if he should exercise a noble forbearance and give his adversary a chance for his life, would commit a crime still less when he killed his man in a fair and honorable duel.

But our friendless prisoner was well aware that very little ingenuity from the bench would be exercised in his favor, the most impartial direction would be, that the law should take its course. Nearly five years had elapsed since his residence at Saybrook. To this last peaceful period of his life his thoughts naturally recurred, and dwelt on the only friendship with which his days had been sweetened. Dudley was probably on the ocean, and would hear of his misfortunes only to bewail his death.

He very well knew where Van Tromp lived, but did not see how he could assist. Yet his presence, his influence, and perhaps counsel, might relieve, if not avert his sufferings. There was at that time a regular communication kept up between the Dutch settlements at New-Amsterdam, and French Posts on the Canada lake, by the way of North River and Lake Champlain. To be sure, as the residence of Van Tromp was out of the way, and the country was wild, the arrival of a letter was uncertain; yet as he had nothing else to do, he determined if only to feed his hopes, to write letters, by every return of the carrier, and by every other opportunity of sending to that vicinity.

His letters were nearly of the same tenor, all conversant about the same thing. The only one preserved is the following:

JAIL AT NEW AMSTERDAM.—  
“My dear and only friend—I am here confined as a criminal, on a capital charge, and am to be tried in about ten months with no hopes of being acquitted. To you it is not necessary for me to go in detail; I know your confidence in me is such, that you will take my declaration that I am wholly innocent; for I would not call you to rescue the guilty. My only solace is, that I disclose my every thought to you, that I can repose upon your friendship with perfect security, and rely on your exertions as fully as on my own. My thoughts are too distracted to devise any mode of assistance; I leave that to you. Yet use your influence and though it may be all in vain, let me, if possible see you once more. CARLOS DU QUESNE.”

“Mr. Van Erp, (said the prisoner,) upon my soul's safety, I am not guilty.” “Oh, I know that, (said the Justice,) it is no great crime in a fair way, to dispose of such a fellow, especially in your case—but don't deny the fact; you may confide.”

“Yes, I do confide, while I tell you that I did not do it.”

“What! (said the Justice,) not shoot him?”

“No I did not.”

“Be it so, (said the Justice, incredulously shaking his head,) you are a lawyer, and have heard the evidence; you know I must commit you—delay is useless.”

The ‘Squire, as he was termed, made out his mittimus himself, (for in this country magistrates have no clerks,) and Du Quesne was followed to the jail by the rabble that had attended his trial. The jail then stood on the East River, near the centre of that busy spot where there are now so many slips and grocers, where the streets are so dirty, and the

passage so difficult. The building itself I will tell you. When I was thirteen was made partly of stone and partly of logs; and the jail-house, in which the keeper and his family lived, was part of the building. The Jailor, too, was a man of some distinction; and by virtue of his office, a member of the city corporation. In one of the cells of this establishment, was our highminded and aspiring friend locked up, and left to his own thoughts, and left to his own meditations. It was some time before he could regain his self-possession, and his busy thoughts then suggested to him the certainty of his fate, the shortness of the interval, and the agonizing reflection with which that interval must be marked. The gallows would be the last thing before his closing eyes at night, and the first thought which the mild beams of morning would bring along with it. His very slumbers were disturbed with dreams—dreams of the throng of faces which would surround the place of his execution, vacant, vulgar and unfeeling—dreams of the cart and hangman and the coffin on which he would sit, and of the awful dialogue with his ghostly confessor, about his future state—the dread moment with the Sheriff, ‘you have half an hour to live,’ and the grave ready dug at the foot of the scaffold.—These dreams awake him only to the consciousness that all was true! When awake he meditated on his hopes of his acquittal. The law on duty was very severe and the common law called it murder. The statute, however, in those sad times, unlike those of modern and more impartial days, was equally administered.—Some, who had friends, could transgress with impunity, while others were left to the rigors of the law. It was easy for the Judge to show that the law was plain, and that conviction was inevitable. It was equally satisfactory to hear him put analogous cases, and show that the man, who on sudden provocation would be guilty only of man-slaughter, if he should exercise a noble forbearance and give his adversary a chance for his life, would commit a crime still less when he killed his man in a fair and honorable duel.

But our friendless prisoner was well aware that very little ingenuity from the bench would be exercised in his favor, the most impartial direction would be, that the law should take its course. Nearly five years had elapsed since his residence at Saybrook. To this last peaceful period of his life his thoughts naturally recurred, and dwelt on the only friendship with which his days had been sweetened. Dudley was probably on the ocean, and would hear of his misfortunes only to bewail his death.

He very well knew where Van Tromp lived, but did not see how he could assist. Yet his presence, his influence, and perhaps counsel, might relieve, if not avert his sufferings. There was at that time a regular communication kept up between the Dutch settlements at New-Amsterdam, and French Posts on the Canada lake, by the way of North River and Lake Champlain. To be sure, as the residence of Van Tromp was out of the way, and the country was wild, the arrival of a letter was uncertain; yet as he had nothing else to do, he determined if only to feed his hopes, to write letters, by every return of the carrier, and by every other opportunity of sending to that vicinity.

His letters were nearly of the same tenor, all conversant about the same thing. The only one preserved is the following:

JAIL AT NEW AMSTERDAM.—  
“My dear and only friend—I am here confined as a criminal, on a capital charge, and am to be tried in about ten months with no hopes of being acquitted. To you it is not necessary for me to go in detail; I know your confidence in me is such, that you will take my declaration that I am wholly innocent; for I would not call you to rescue the guilty. My only solace is, that I disclose my every thought to you, that I can repose upon your friendship with perfect security, and rely on your exertions as fully as on my own. My thoughts are too distracted to devise any mode of assistance; I leave that to you. Yet use your influence and though it may be all in vain, let me, if possible see you once more. CARLOS DU QUESNE.”

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

“MIND YOUR BUSINESS.”  
“There,” said my Grandfather, “are three words worth more than a volume of such trash as young people read now a days. I assure you Dunson, that they have been of more service to me than all your Philosophy, Chemistry, Rhetoric, or star gazing notions could have been. You may wonder if you please, but what I tell you is true, and much more; for I tell you if I had never seen nor heard of them, you never would have known Philosophy from Rhetoric, or how to fill bladders with air that would burn brighter than a rush light. “Should you like to know how it was of so much service to me?—Listen and



FOREIGN NEWS.

By the arrival of the packet ship New York, European intelligence, eight days later than in our last, has been received. The news of peace is fully confirmed, and the particulars of the treaty are given in the London papers.—The following abstract is taken from the Liverpool Mercury of Oct. 17:—

**RUSSIA AND TURKEY.**—The treaty of peace between Russia and Turkey, consists of sixteen articles, by the last of which the treaty is to be ratified within six weeks, and is signed by Count Diebitsch, Count Orloff, and Count Pahlen. Moldavia and Wallachia, Adrianople, Silistria, the whole extent of the Balkan from Emine as far as Kazan, Bourgas, Sizopolis, and all the places which the Russian troops have occupied in Roumelia, are to be restored to the Porte. The Pruth, from Moldavia to the Danube, and the Danube to the mouth of St. George's, will continue to form the frontier line between the two empires. The Danube is to be navigable to the merchant vessels of the Powers, but the Russian ships of war are not to go beyond the junction of the Danube with the Pruth. The line following the limit of the Gouriel, from the Black Sea as far as Imenia and from thence to the junction of the Akhaltzik, Kars, and Georgia, including Akhaltzik and the fort of Khallnaluk, is to be the frontier of Georgia, Mingrelia, and other provinces of the Caucasus united to Russia. All the countries to the south and west of this line, together with Kars, Erzeroum, and other towns and pachalicks which have been occupied by the Russian troops, are to be under the dominion of the Porte. The privileges of the principalities of Moldavia and Wallachia are secured to them. The six districts detached from Servia are to be restored, and the clauses of the treaty of Ackermann referring to Servia are to be immediately observed by the Porte. The 7th article claims great privileges and immunities for Russian vessels trading to Turkey, and for Russian subjects residing in the dominions of the Porte. The latter are to be under the exclusive jurisdiction and police of the Ministers and the Consuls of Russia; and the Black Sea, the Dardanelles, and the canal of Constantinople, are to be open to all merchant vessels of powers at peace with the Sublime Porte. An infraction of any of the stipulations in this article, without prompt redress, is to be taken as a declaration of hostility. By the 8th article the Porte is to pay, in the course of eighteen months, 1,500,000 ducats of Holland, about £750,000, as an indemnity to Russian merchants for losses in consequence of the measures relating to the navigation of the Bosphorus, at different periods, since 1806. The next article relates to the indemnity for the expenses of the war, the amount of which is fixed in a separate treaty.—The Porte is to declare its entire adhesion to the treaty of July 6, 1827, concluded at London. Until the complete evacuation of the territories occupied by the Russian troops, the time for which is fixed by a separate treaty, the administration of affairs there is to be under the influence of Russia. The 13th article provides, that there shall be an entire indemnity for the subjects of both powers for every thing they may have done or said during the war. All prisoners of war, on both sides, are to be set free, without ransom or condition, and furnished with means to reach the frontiers. All previous treaties and conventions, with the exceptions of those annulled by the present treaties, are to be carried into effect. By a separate treaty the indemnity for the expenses of the war to be paid by the Porte is fixed at ten millions of ducats, (about five millions sterling,) to be paid in ten equal annual instalments. The indemnity to the merchants is to be paid in four instalments, on the first of which Adrianople is to be evacuated; on the second the Russians retreat beyond the Balkan; on the third beyond the Danube; and on the payment of the whole sum of 11,500,000 ducats, they have the Turkish territory altogether.

A German paper says of the Russian General who has shown the value of Sultan Mahmud's military reforms:—The glorious successes which lately crowned the Russian arms, may, in a very great measure, be attributed to the skilful management of their commander-in-chief, Count Diebitsch; he is so much the idol of the army, that even envy dares not utter its sentiments. He is not only compared to Peter the Great, who, likewise led the victorious Russians against the Turks, but is pronounced equal in military talents, to the great Captain, who, for twenty years, led Frenchmen to triumph and victory, and culled so many never fading laurels for them and for himself. Count Diebitsch is small in person, and nearly of the same stature as Napoleon; he resembles him likewise in many military qualities. Those persons who have an opportunity of being near his person, are lavish in their praise of him, and speak in the highest terms of his fitness for a commander; his activity; his circumspection; his presence of mind; the acuteness of his observation; which

derives advantage from the most trifling fault of his adversary. He sleeps but four hours out of the twenty-four, and passes the greater part of the night in dictating orders, or on horseback, to reconnoitre in person the outposts, and making dispositions for the next day. His meals are extremely frugal, and of the shortest possible duration. In social intercourse he is the polished Courtier: kind and affable to his inferiors; and he never fails to take particular notice of military men of any grade, who have in any way distinguished themselves.—With such talents as a commander and such qualities as a man of the world, he could not fail to win all hearts; and he is adored by the army, who consider him as destined by Providence to solve the long agitated question of the overthrow of the Turkish empire in Europe."

The Morning Herald of the 8th of October, contains a letter from Lisbon, from which the following is an extract:—"John Bull's rival, Jonathan, is likely to interfere by force of arms—for the seamen of the American whaler, Galatea, have been treated with the greatest indignity. When the ship was seized, sixty Portuguese sailors, armed, and a prize master were put on board—yet, under pretence of the sailors having attempted to take the ship out of St. Nicholas, the Portuguese officer sent them, in irons, to the goal of that island. They were removed in irons, on board the Diana frigate—but when out of sight of land, their irons were removed, and they were forced to aid in working the ship. On coming near to Portugal they were again ironed, and, after four days' detention on board, were sent, under a strong escort, to the filthy goal at Lisbon, and thrown into the filthiest part of it, among robbers, murderers, sodomites, &c. One of them was obliged to be removed on a pallet, from illness, and is now dying in the hospital. The American Consul General, Mr. Hutcheson, by paying for other accommodations, has had them removed from this place of horrors—where, as there is no prison allowance, they would be forced to live on the pittance of charity. At his own expense, the American Consul now supplies them with food and other necessaries. While John Bull has so tamely put up with bad treatment, it is not likely Jonathan will."

OXFORD OBSERVER.

NORWICH, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1.

MONTHLY TRAVELLER.

We have received the first number of a periodical work of the above title. Judging from the hasty perusal we have taken of this work, we hesitate not to say, that it will prove one of the best sources for information which the present age affords. We can heartily recommend it to the patronage of a generous public. We forbear making much comment upon this work as the prospectus, which we copy below, will give our readers satisfactory information of the probable merits, and price of the work.—The present number bears date for January, 1830, and is given as a specimen for the future numbers. The second number will be issued in February.

"The design of the Monthly Traveller is to collect and preserve the most valuable matter afloat on the broad stream of Periodical Literature—to cull with care the choicest flowers of learning, science, poetry, and general miscellany, form the pages of the most popular transatlantic and American magazines, and monthly to form a bouquet which it is hoped may not be unacceptable to the lovers of light reading. Periodicals and ephemeral journals have at length become so numerous, that readers find it impossible to make themselves familiar with even a moiety of their contents; and it has been suggested that some self-elected censor who would submit to the drudgery of wading through the mass, and compile a magazine from the most approved articles, would perform an acceptable service, and might reasonably expect a share of patronage.

The Monthly Traveller, while it aims to present the best contributions of the magazines of the day, it is hoped will not be rendered less inviting than others, from the fact, that by its reduced price it will be placed within the means of every portion of the community; and will furnish a greater amount of matter in the same number of pages, than any similar publication in New England.—That the numerous patrons of the American (semi-weekly) Traveller may have no cause of complaint, it is distinctly promised, that most, if not all, the articles in the Monthly, shall appear in its columns, either before or after their appearance in the octavo."

CONDITIONS.

1. The Monthly Traveller will be published regularly on the 15th of each month, at No 63 Court-Street, Boston.
2. Each number will contain thirty-two pages, large octavo, in handsome brevier and minion type, stitched in a printed cover. At the close of the volume, an appropriate title page and table of contents will be furnished.
3. The price will be \$2 a year in advance, or within three months from the time of subscribing; otherwise, 2,50.

The members of the Executive Council are notified, that agreeable to adjournment, the next session will commence on Thursday, the third of December, at eleven o'clock, A. M.

It is somewhat diverting to hear the Editors of Jackson papers talk about the 'federalists,' 'federalism,' &c. as if that party alone had any pretensions to republicanism. They cannot forget who and what their party is composed of. Do they know who are their leaders at this very day? Poor fellows, their very chiefs and the essence of their party are federalists to the backbone. The following paraphrase of Cuffe's anecdote of *de hoe and de harrow*, from the New Hampshire Journal, is a pretty fair illustration of the subject of the two old parties:—"Cuffe, where are the Federalists? Long wid de 'publicans? Where are the Republicans? Long wid de federalists. Where are the federalists & republicans both? Bless you soul Massa day bote to gedder."

COMMUNICATIONS.

FOR THE OXFORD OBSERVER.

ON THE DEATH OF GOV. LINCOLN.

Why sad swells the dark wave, on Kennebec's tide?  
Why sighs the soft breeze, o'er the waters that  
Why nature's bright beauties, all veild in deep  
And why ye, her minstrels! your strains plaintive flow?  
Why chimes the death-bell, with the cannon's loud roar?  
They peal like deep thunder, 'long Maine's peaceful shore,  
The drums sadly beat, while the pipes mournful play,  
The leafless grove echoes the bugle's soft lay.  
See! see! where Augusta's proud turrets rise,  
Enshrind in his tomb there our honored chief lies,  
The Patriot, Statesman, UNRIVALLED his worth,  
There moulders, and mingles, with dust of the earth.  
Oh! hallow the spot, where his pallid form sleeps,  
For Science bends over his ashes, and weeps,  
She plucks from her fair brow, a wreath in full bloom,  
And twines it 'midst diamonds of LOVE round his tomb.  
Rest, rest, NOBLE Chieftain, NOPE pillows thy head,  
For Gabriel's loud triumph will soon startle the dead,  
With honors IMMORTAL, thy dust then shall rise  
And bright Angels shall guard thee to HOLIER skies.  
Livermore Oct. 1829.

FOR THE OXFORD OBSERVER.

MR. PRINTERS.—I spose you'r against us in this ere business about intemperance that the mity sober fokes are making such a fuss and bother about for you have printed a good many pieces on their side of the affair, but I gess as how you'll be glad to keep an old subscriber for every body looks out for his own interest. Therefore I'll warrant, rather than lose custom, you'll give a chance in one corner of your paper to say a little something on tother side of the question.—Now you know that every question has as much as two sides to it at least. Well these sober gentry have been for about three or four years telling about their side of the case every where and to every body and not a single one on our side has dar'd to say boo. Now I'll leave it to any body to say if this is fair play. For my part I'm determined things shant go on so any longer hereabout without their hearing something from old Simon at least. Now I was talking tother day with Squire Demijohn, who keeps store at Toddy Corner you know, about these ere things and the Squire says that all this matter about temperance and intemperance, &c. is nothing but a part of a plan of the church folks to get the whole power into their hands.—They mean to have church and state united and all under their command. He says they mean to get fokes on their side chosen into offices and then they will carry things by a high hand. They wont then let a gallon of rum or brandy be bro't in the county nor a pint of whiskey be still'd in it and mean to make us all join the cold water society whether we will or no. And the Squire says too that they mean to make every man go to meeting on the Sabbath and to have a bible in his house and to send his children to school and to Sunday school and all that kind of a thing. Now Mr. Printer I want to know if this aint against the constitution. Squire Demijohn says the constitution says that all men are born free and independent. Now what use is it to be born independent if we cant live so. If we cant have liberty to buy a glass of grog now and then and to drink it too, why then where's our liberty. If I must brush up every Sunday morning and rig out wife and children to go to hear Parson Plainly preach, when I would fain enjoy myself over a mug of toddy in Capt. Sokeam's bar-room why then where's the liberty our fathers fought for. And what if I do get fuddled a little now and then—whose business is it. If I take care of myself who has any right to complain. I've always taken care of myself thus far and if Squire Demijohn has got a mortgage of my land, why I haint come to the town yet and I bought a ticket tother day that has got three nines in it—so I shall no doubt draw a high prize and then I'll pay off my rum scores and have enuff to buy as much as I want afterwards. What signifies to live in this ere world if we cant enjoy it. Dont the bible say, let us eat and drink for we shall die to-morrow. Heres scripture for these Black Coats that they dont seem to understand. Now Mr. Printer did you ever get a little too much of the dear creature so as to feel comfortable a little. If you didnt, then

just try it once or twice and I'll warrant you'll not repent it. O, it makes one so happy and so comfortable there's nothing like it. You'll feel as independent of every thing around you as you can think of. Why tother day just as I got home from Squire Demijohns with my old jug full of good old new england, our Sal come out and said as how the barn dore that hadnt any hinges had fell down and the oxen had got on to the haymow and the cows had et up half the rye on the barn flore and the sheep had clim up into the whete and et up half of it and split the rest and she and mother had just got um out. Now who wouldnt have been half crazy under such a peck of trubbles, but as for me I was as comfortable as you can think of and as happy as Tilly and altogether owing to the drops I took down to the Squires and now and then on the way home. Well Gentlemen I'm rather getting out of my main object after all—I only wanted to trouble you just to give a general invitation to all good lovers of liberty that dont mean to be bamboozled out of their rites and think thares no sin in taking a little obejoyful now and then and dont mene to be Crow beaten out of it, to meet at Captain Sokeam's Hall, Toddy Corner, on Saturday the 5th day of December next, to take into consideration the alarming state of our affairs and to form a society for the purpose of securing liberty of conscience and of eteing and drinking without being intruded upon and do such other business as shall be thot best by the society. Capt. Sokeam says we may have the hall in welcome, and he's got a plenty of good stuff provided for the meeting.—Now Mr Printer after this ere meeting is over we shall want you to publish the account of our doings and if you wont do it as well as you've done for these ere Temperates and mean to be parshal, then we'll have nothing more to do with your paper. So I gess you'll look out for the main chance. As I've nothing more to say for the present I'll bid you good by.  
Yours very affectionately  
till death  
SIMON SWIGGINS.

WASHINGTON MONUMENT AT BALTIMORE.—This stupendous column has nothing to be compared with it in this country, and perhaps it is not surpassed by any thing of the kind in the world. Last week, a colossal statue of Washington, fifteen feet in height, was placed upon the top of the column, making the whole elevation from the ground, one hundred and seventy-six feet. In anticipation of the interesting ceremony of raising the statue to its destined position, the Baltimore American gave the following description of the Monument.—*Cour.* The pillar and statue form together the largest structure of the kind, we believe, in the world; and the elevation of the latter to its destined position, at the height of a hundred and sixty feet from the ground, will be a highly curious and interesting spectacle.

The pillar is intended to be of the Greek Doric order, of massive proportions. It stands on a grand base or zocle, and is surmounted by a circular pedestal on which the statue is intended to stand. This base or zocle is fifty feet square, and twenty-five feet high; the column is twenty feet in diameter, and with its sub-base, one hundred and thirty feet high; the capital is twenty feet square. The statue is fifteen feet high, and the whole height of the monument from the pavement, including the statue, will be one hundred and seventy-six feet. As it stands on a hill one hundred feet high, this structure raises two hundred and seventy-six feet above tide. It is constructed of white marble, slightly variegated, and is already a very conspicuous object to every one approaching the city, whether by land or water.—The statue will render it still more so, and will of course give finish and beauty to the whole.

The monument stands at the intersection of four streets, which, on their approach to it, are increased in width, so as to allow a full view of it. Though the area might have been larger with advantage, it is not every public work that has on the whole, a more advantageous position. A part of the area is to be enclosed, and planted with shrubbery, and the monument is to be encircled with a massive iron railing, three hundred and fifty feet in circumference, opened on the four fronts by iron gateways, and ornamented with lamp-stands.

When finished according to the designs, the Monument will present the following appearance. On every front of the grand base, a flight of marble steps, (flanked by masonry blocks surmounted with tripods,) leads up to the door-ways. These flights of steps are partly finished. A broad frieze runs round the exterior of the grand base, (immediately under the cornice,) enriched with a series of civic wreaths, each encircling a star, designating the States of the Union. In the centre of this frieze, above the door-ways, are large marble tablets, inscribed with the name of Washington. Over the cornice a blocking course runs round the base, crowned at the four angles with military trophies, all executed in marble. Bronze inscriptions, commemorative of events in the Revolution connected with the

He left Portland with a belief that he should not return. He said so and repeated it, as he stood on the floor of his room preparing to go, and playing with a piece of paper which he had suffered to drop twice without perceiving it. I am very weak, said he; my strength is leaving—I do not expect to return. This was uttered with striking solemnity, and the impression will never depart from the recollection of those who heard it. On his arrival at Augusta, whither he had gone to deliver an address before the children of the Coney Female Academy—he mentioned two or three times that he had come to die there: and when his friends gathered about him, and reminded him of the state of his health, and begged him to forbear, he said in his mild, firm way—*It is my duty*—afterwards he alluded to his mother, an extraordinary woman, who had "left him" suddenly, but a few weeks before; and it was evident from his behaviour, even more than by his language, that her sudden death was a heavy blow to him. He was thoroughly possessed with the belief, that as he owed so much to his mother, he owed it to her memory by the last of his public acts to impress the future mothers of our country with a becoming sense of their own value. On the day when he delivered the address he had been quite unwell before he made the attempt; during the delivery he grew so ill that he was obliged to sit down; and after it was delivered he went straight way to bed—the bed of death.

He was not afraid of death—after he knew that death was inevitable; nor was he afraid of it before, properly speaking, though he would have resisted the approach, and avoided the presence of unworthy danger, like every rational man, if he had been able to do so. He conversed on the subject hour by hour, and with perfect composure—nay, with a sort of strange, mournful, pleasant; for it so happened that one day, as he & the adjutant-general of the state, an old and very intimate friend, were sitting together, he remarked that he should have to stay with him; to which the general who had no idea of his danger, and who saw nothing in the observation but a desire to converse on a favorite though dangerous theme, replied—Well, well, governor, we can give you a good tomb here. The next day, or the day after, finding that he could keep no food upon his stomach, not even a light broth, the governor turned to the general's wife, as she sat near, and said with a smile, which never quite abandoned his mouth, Well, madam, I believe I shall have to accept your husband's invitation.

But one of the most remarkable circumstances that attended his death was this. During the whole of his delirium, he never uttered an equivocal sentiment nor an improper word. Nay more, he never lost sight of his own personal dignity—nor of what he owed as a man to the presence of a female; for in his fiercest paroxysms, he would suddenly recollect himself so far as to wrestle down with overmastering power, the spirit that shook him, and apologize in the language of a gentleman for the unhappy 'hallucination,' as he termed it, which he had been partially subdued by.

On one occasion he insisted on getting up. The general remonstrated with him and urged him to lie down. But he refused—he could not be controlled. You may have the physical superiority, said he, but you shall not control my mind. The general saw it was in vain to argue with him in the usual way. Governor, said he, you are a philosopher, & will not contend with what is inevitable. The poor delirious man looked at him—smiled faintly—and lay down like a child at the bidding of his mother. And not long before he breathed his last, as an elder son of the general sat watching by him, he took it into his head to get up. The young man argued with him, and putting his hand upon his shoulder, told him he must lie down. *Must*—there is no such word for me. I will not be controlled sir. But, continued the other, alarmed at the probable consequences, I entreat you, I beg of you to lie down. O, said the governor, that is another affair; that is talking rationally; and he lay down, as quiet as if nothing were the matter, although unquestionably delirious at the time. These facts are not mentioned lightly—they help to show the man's character; he would not be dealt with by any body, nor any thing, to the abridgment of his liberty. No outrage affected him in health like that of one person daring to exercise improper dominion over another. And weak, tho' he was—a small man of a slight frame, he would have resisted even to death the oppression of brute force over any body. But the last scene of all was yet more striking—he addressed the troops in eloquent and powerful language, though it was occasionally incoherent; and the last words he spoke were—Gentlemen, I call you all to witness that I die in the presence of Franklin—after which he appeared to forget himself—to sink into a lethargy—and then he revived and added, as if communing with a congress of shadows—A sacred and solemn scene. And with this, the spirit of the sufferer prepared for departure—and his last hour was an hour of untroubled sleep.



life of Washington, are to be placed in Latin and English on every front of the base. The following has been proposed as one, by the architect, Mr. Mills.

To  
GEORGE WASHINGTON,  
The Father of his Country,  
Under whose command,  
With the Blessing of Providence,  
The confederated Americans  
Obtained  
Liberty and Laws.

The Citizens of Baltimore,  
Not in the vain hope  
Of increasing so great a reputation,  
But in order that  
An example of Patriotism and Private  
Worth  
Might be continually held up to view,  
Have caused  
This Monument to be erected.

The base of the column above the great platform, is proposed to be encircled with thirteen colossal bronze shields, emblematic of the Federal Union; the faces of the shields to be ornamented with the arms of those States which formed the federal compact, divided by massive spears. At some distance above this band of shields, and fronting with the four door-ways, are four Eagles, sculptured in basso rilievo, encircled with wreaths, which are grasped in their talons. From these wreaths festooned draperies are suspended, which form a continuous line of decorations all round the shaft. The pedestal of the statue is an elongation of the shaft of the column, terminated by steps reduced from a diameter of fourteen feet to a plinth of four feet, on which the statue is to stand.

The attitude given to this figure represents the great man (to whom the monument is dedicated,) in the act of resigning his commission, and the authority with which he had been invested by this country, again into the hands of the people, having accomplished the great object of his appointment, the freedom and independence of the union.

The ascent to the summit of the monument, or rather to the capital, is by two hundred and twenty-eight marble steps, winding round a solid pillar constituting the core of the column. More than midnight darkness at present envelops the ascent; but it is intended hereafter to light this stairway with gas, which would render it easier to go up. A noble view is of course presented from this lofty point,—which will become more and more diversified and interesting with the extension of the city, and the improvement of the surrounding country. At present the view of the town is by no means the best; but that of the country is beautiful.

#### MODERN POLITICS.

If there ever was a time when politics were to be scouted from honest society, that period now has arrived. They once spoke of Federalists and Republicans as though there was a party against our Republic. Gun Boats and Jefferson were once the tocsin of one party, while on the other hand the devil and Mr. Thomas Walker opposed them "tooth and nail." Next came divers and sundry strange figures in fight, among which were Burr, tariff and anti-tariff, amalgamation, John Q. Adams and Andrew Jackson. These, like little eels in a vinegar cruet, have tumbled over each other until every honest man's brains have got into a whirl on the occasion of their contest. Bitter however are the struggles of these aspirants for the uppermost side, and unforgiving are the feelings of modern politicians as they go through the rounds of the fandango machine of political changes. At last, however, "The General" has become the ascendant, and this too, constitutionally, and in the language of holy writ, "he doeth all that unto him seemeth fit." He has been reviled, and he punisheth the scorner—he pulleth the wings of his enemies, and they give out deep growlings. Let me ask, what all this amounts to, and how it will read in the history which posterity will give us? It will be a tale of folly, of blackguardism, of licentiousness, in all our political presses. We shall "sing small in the ears of our grand children." What should politics be? The wish to benefit our country. They should be as beneficial to the whole of our land as the air which is breathed by the king and peasant; they should be like the top of the mountain, but rests upon the leaf of the humblest daisy of the valley—they should not in any case be exclusive, but like the dew of heaven fall equally on all things. But in this, of all lands, the common good should alone be consulted. Politics here should be but another name for religion. Our pilgrim pious fathers, and our pilgrim pious veterans, who adored God and erected the battlements of freedom, should alone be our guides in the way of well doing—there are no true politics but those which have been bequeathed us—party has nothing to meddle or make with politics any more than bigotry has commune with religion. Our country and all countries are to be the recipients of political benefit and that benefit is the greatest good to the greatest number. But how has this word been profaned? It means, in

modern phrase, a devotedness to a particular man or a particular creed—the one clan is to be lauded and the other despised. It consists in a particular belief in a particular doctrine, and this particular creed or belief is denominated by the dignified name of—politics! If this be modern patriotism, from such good Lord deliver us.

"Sic transit gloria mundi."  
Succo Palladium.

"Anticipated Paragraphs" from the Augusta Patriot, to be published soon.

In the efforts of our political friends to move the Seat of Government from this place, on account of Kennebec having voted for Mr. Hunt, we see another evidence of the republican spirit of the supporters of Judge Smith. The federalists contend that many thousand dollars having been expended in commencing the state buildings, for that and other reasons there should be no change. But any republican can see that Waldo having given Judge Smith 1555 majority, she ought to have the Seat of Government at whatever cost.

We understand J. W. Ripley, whose seat in Congress has been successfully contested by R. Washburn, has been appointed Marshall of Maine, vice B. Green. We take the liberty to say that this appointment does not meet the approbation of the Democratic Republicans in this vicinity, including the ten distinguished Democrats who signed the Circular in favor of Judge Smith, and who entertained a just expectation that the office would be given to the editor of this paper.

We are authorized to say that Mrs. Delia Bodge, who has been so much abused by the federalists, is about to publish a vindication of her political conduct to be prefaced by a memoir of Mrs. Bodge by Nath'l Haynes, a gentleman alike distinguished for his talents and for the soundness of his political principles. The work will be printed at the Custom-house Press in Wiscasset, where Mr. Tappan already has it in "black and white." We may add that Mrs. Bodge, who may be truly called the Northern Light of Jeffersonian Democracy, has declined the offer of a nomination to Congress next fall, and will use her influence in favor of that distinguished statesman, the editor of the Norridgewock Republican.

Our readers will rejoice to learn that on the first of January next this paper will then assume the title of the *Kennebec Expositor*, and that the able author of the numbers of "Kennebec" and "Expositor," will be associated with us in our editorial duties.—Hallowell Advertiser.

It is reported that an influential member of the Aristocracy in Portland has recently offered to guarantee the payment of \$3000 for 5 Jackson votes in the House of Representatives! Republicans of Maine ponder well on these things! You are contending against fearful odds, and can only preserve your liberties by opposing this unprincipled Aristocracy with the most determined spirit, and with unflinching perseverance.—Hallowell Advocate.

We see no reason to doubt the correctness of this report; we have heard a similar one ourselves; and we can trace it to authorities, which act as organs of the Jackson party. These unprincipled attempts to bribe the Representatives of the people cannot be reprobated in language too strong. Not a state in the Union is so grossly insulted by an unprincipled few as is the State of Maine. Corruption is openly practised; and its authors under the sanction of exalted stations make use of the emoluments of the nation to gratify their unhallowed schemes. But we do not fear their bribery, nor their corruption. There are men enlisted in the cause of the National Republicans, who are above the contemptible influence of sordid cash—and we believe they will find it as difficult to change the Republican majority in the House of Representatives, as to change the hill themselves.—Portland Advertiser.

DEATH OF SAM PATCH.—The illustrious Samuel O. Cataract has at last jumped out of existence—after having won for himself an immortality in the newspapers of the day. Truly the immortality of Patch is as valuable, as that which is won by the champions of powder and ball—His name, no doubt, will be enrolled among the great men and women of the land—with Madam Royall, Fanny Wright, and for aught we know, with the truth rescuing Duff, who dictates in the Councils of the nation.

The last leap of Sam took place at Rochester, on Nov. 13. He sprang from a staging which was elevated twenty-five feet above the falls, the falls themselves being 100 feet high—making 125 feet which Sam passed through before he reached the water.—Portland Advertiser.

BREACH OF PROMISE.—In the action of Mrs. Godfrey vs. Kincaid, at the present term of the Supreme Court, eleven hundred and eleven dollars were awarded to the plaintiff. Mrs. Godfrey is a young widow of twenty-three, Mr. Kincaid is upwards of fifty.—Portland Advertiser.

#### DIED.

In this town, on Tuesday the 17th ult. Harriet Buck, aged 12 years, and on Wednesday the 25th Supannah Buck, her mother, aged 42 years, of typhus fever, the daughter and wife of Mr. James Buck.

In this Village, on the 23th ult. Albert Edvin Hall, aged four months.

"Thrice happy infant! freed from care,  
From sorrow, pain and wasting grief;  
Nor doom'd life's lengthened ills to bear,  
Till crippling age should seek relief!  
'Twas thine the crown of bliss to win,  
Ere yet the conflict had begun;  
Ere thou hadst proved the power of sin,  
Unhurt its poison'd darts to shun."  
Communicated.

In Paris, on Saturday the 21st inst. Annette, daughter of Thomas Crocker, Esq. aged 5 years. In Bethel, Mrs. Eliza Walker, wife of John Walker, aged 63.—Printers in New-Hampshire and Vermont are requested to insert this death. In Dixfield, Oct. 30, of typhus fever Mr. Peter Holman, one of the first settlers of the place, aged 60. Mr. Holman moved from Sutton, Mass. to this town in 1706, with 37 others, 21 of whom are now living.

#### NOTICE.

All persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing of JACOB WARDWELL or any other person, a note of hand given by the subscriber to Capt. Samuel Rayson of Paris, bearing date on or about the 8th day of April 1829, for the sum of twenty-four dollars, payable, I believe, in eight months from its date, with interest; as said note has been fully paid by me, and is now unjustly withheld from me—I am therefore determined not to pay the same again. JAMES WARDWELL.  
Albany, Nov. 21, 1829. 3w 22

The following STANDARD MEDICINES has ever proved a safe, economical and efficacious cure for some of the most dangerous diseases—

#### TO THE LADIES.

WHITE and SOUND Teeth are both an ornament and a blessing. The best security for their advantage is to be found in the use of the BRITISH ANTISEPTIC DENTIFRICE. This elegant Tooth Powder, with a very little use, eradicates the Scum in the gums, and prevents the accumulation of Tartar, which not only blackens, but loosens the teeth, and accelerates their decay. The Dentifrice thus removes the prevailing causes of offensive breath, preserves the healthiness and floridness of the gums, and renders the teeth beautifully white. Price 50 cents.

#### A CERTAIN CURE FOR THE ITCH.

HOWEVER inveterate, in 1 hour's application, and no danger from taking cold, by using DUMFRIES' OINTMENT.

This preparation, for pleasantness, safety, expedition, ease and certainty, stands unrivalled for the cure of this troublesome complaint. It is so rapid, as well as certain in its operation, as to cure this disease in a few days, and most effectually in one hour's application only!

It does not contain the least particle of mercury, or other dangerous ingredient, and may be applied with perfect safety by pregnant females, or children at the breast. Price 37 1-2 cents.

Prepared from the original Recipe in MS of the late Dr. W. T. Conway, by his immediate Successor and sole Proprietor, T. KIDDER, and sold wholesale by him at his countingroom over No. 97, (formerly called 70,) Court-street, head of Hanover-street, near Concert Hall, Boston, and retailed by his special appointment (together with all the valuable Medicines as prepared by the late Dr. Conway,) by ASA BARTON, Norway, (Me.)

\* Observe that none are genuine without the written signature of T. KIDDER, on the outside printed wrapper.  
\* A large discount made to those who buy a sell again. Dec. 1. 22 4w

#### MEDICAL SCHOOL OF MAINE.

THE MEDICAL LECTURES at BOWDOIN COLLEGE will commence on Tuesday, the twenty third day of February, 1830.

Theory and Practice of Physic, by JOHN DELAMATTER, M. D.  
Anatomy & Surgery, by J. D. WELLS, M. D.  
Midwifery, by JAMES MCKEEN, M. D.  
Chemistry and Materia Medica, by P. CLEVELAND, M. D.

The ANATOMICAL CABINET is extensive, and very valuable.

The LIBRARY, already one of the best Medical Libraries in the United States, continues to be every year enriched by New Works, both foreign and domestic.

Every person becoming a member of this Institution, is required to present satisfactory evidence, that he possesses a good moral character.

The amount of fees for admission to all the Lectures is \$50. Graduating fee, including diploma, \$10. There is no matriculating fee. The Lectures continue three months.

Degrees are conferred at the close of the Lecture term in May, and at the following Commencement of the College in September. A systematic course of Instruction, embracing Recitations in all the branches of Medical Science, Demonstrations, and Lectures, will be given by the Professors, during the interval between the annual courses of Lectures.

Boarding may be obtained in the Commons Hall at a very reasonable price.

Brunswick, Sept. 20, 1829. 6wcep.

## 1830.

MAINE FARMER'S, ROBERT B. THOMAS' and CHRISTIAN ALMANACKS, for sale at the Oxford Book-store, by the hundred, dozen, or single. ASA BARTON, Agent.  
Nov. 3. 6w 20

BROADCLOTHS & CASSIMERES.  
75 PIECES bl'k, blue, mix'd and col'd CLOTHS—10 do. mix'd CASSIMERES—SATTINETTS, &c. &c. very cheap, by T. O. BRADLEY.  
Portland, Sept. 13.

#### PRIME STOCK OF DRY GOODS.

G. C. LYFORD,  
AT the Store one door west of the Bank of Portland, Middle-st. would respectfully inform his friends and the public, that he has received his FALL STOCK OF GOODS, which with the stock before on hand, comprises the largest and best assortment he has ever had for sale. Among the new Goods are

50 pieces BROADCLOTHS of all the fashionable colors for Ladies' and Gentlemen's wear; 20 pieces CASSIMERES; Dark and light Blue and Crimson Pelisse Cloths; Vestings all kinds; real Goat's hair, imitation Rob Roy, Tartan and Camblet Plaids; plain and figured Flannels; plain and figured Sattinets; plain, figured and twill'd Bombazetts; black and colored Merino Circassians; super slate Pongees; CALICOES, an endless variety; fine assortment of Silks; Muslin all kinds; Handkerchiefs of every description; Gloves, all prices; Silk, cotton and Worsted Hosiery; Double ground Bobbinet Laces for Veils; 100 double ground Black Lace Veils from 1,75 to 8,00; 200 Swiss Muslin Collars, Capes and Pellerines; Merino, Raw Silk, Cashmere, Thibet, Valencia, Brocade and Cassimere Shawls; super 5 1/4 black Merino Bombazines; Irish Linens all prices; 3 1/4 and 4 1/4 Coppey plate Furnitures; great variety of Bonnet, Cap and belt Ribbons; habit cords, Buttons, Frogs, &c. &c.

—ALSO—  
A complete assortment of Domestic Cotton Goods, Yarns, Sattinets, &c.  
Likewise—2 cases Leghorn Hats, of a very superior quality, purchased at auction, and are selling very fast at a very low price. Also—good assortment of Fancy and Travelling baskets, at lowest prices.  
Portland, Oct. 20th, 1829. 156w13

#### OIL CLOTHS.

ONE Case containing 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 Oil Cloths, this day received and for sale low by T. O. BRADLEY.  
Portland, July 28.

#### DEDICATION SERMON.

JUST published and for sale by the subscriber, Mr. Wood's Sermon—delivered at the dedication of the Universalist Meeting-house, in this village. Also, for sale, Ballou's Ancient History of Universalism. As the proprietors of this work have ordered the copies on hand to be returned soon, persons who wish to possess this valuable history should lose no time in obtaining it.—Likewise on hand, Universalist Hymn Books. ASA BARTON, Agent.  
Nov. 21. 3w 22

THE Members of the Oxford County Bible Society are notified, that the Bibles, ordered at the last annual meeting, have been received at the Depository and are now ready for delivery. JERE MITCHELL, Depository.  
Norway, Nov. 21.

#### NEW GOODS.

29 Packages New Fall Goods—cloths Cassimeres, Scotch and Tartan Plaids, Bombazetts, Camblets, Bockings, Flannels, &c. &c. just received at No. 6, Mussey's Row, Middle-st. Portland, by T. O. BRADLEY.

#### COLDS AND COUGHS CURED!

BY the use of the most valuable medicine, called German Elixer. It stands unrivalled for the cure of Colds, Coughs, and Pulmonary Complaints, generally. It has likewise been used with success in the whooping cough. Perhaps no medicine has ever given greater satisfaction than this, to all who have made use of it;—to those who have not, and are laboring with colds, coughs, and consumptive symptoms, they are requested to make trial of the German Elixer. It is not a quack medicine, but is actually such as is recommended. For sale by the subscriber, who is the only authorized agent for this State. ASA BARTON, Agent.  
Norway, Nov. 13. 3w 21

#### DAMAGED GINGHAMS.

1 case damaged Scotch Ginghams, at 12 1-2 cents per yard—Also, 1 case more superior 12 1-2 cent Calicoes, just received at No. 6, Mussey's Row, Middle-st by T. O. BRADLEY.  
Nov. 6.

TO SINGING SOCIETIES, & OTHERS  
THE subscriber has on hand and for sale on account of the publishers, the following works, which he will sell for one half the usual prices, if called for soon, viz:—HALLOWELL COLLECTION of sacred music, first and second edition.  
NORTHERN HARMONY—TEMPLE HARMONY—AND WESLEYAN HARMONY.

The above works contain a good collection of tunes, adapted to public worship, and afford an excellent opportunity for such as wish to purchase at a very reduced price. ASA BARTON, Agent.  
Nov. 9. 3w 20

#### RICH AND DARK PRINTS

AT 12 1-2 cents per yard.  
2 cases three and four, colors warranted fast—this day received, and for sale at the low price of 12 1-2 cents per yard, at No. 6, Mussey's Row, by T. O. BRADLEY.  
Portland, Nov. 10.

#### FEATHER DUSTERS.

ONE HUNDRED Feather Dusters, for sale by T. O. BRADLEY.

#### Vegetable Pulmonary BALSAM;

For Sale Wholesale and Retail by ASA BARTON.

The most valuable remedy discovered for Consumptions, Asthma, Pleurisy, Spitting of Blood, Hooping Coughs, and Pulmonary Affections of every kind.

IT is impossible to present the public with all the evidence which the proprietors possess in favor of the highly salutary operation of this BALSAM, as certificates of its happy effect are continually received. A few however will be given for the satisfaction of those who may be troubled with the complaints for which this balsam is offered as a remedy.

#### NEW CERTIFICATES.

Certificate of Gen. Blanchard.

I was, about the 1st of May, 1828, troubled with the following distressing symptoms: Faintness, pain through the back and left side, tightness across the chest, difficulty of breathing, tickling in the throat with a sense of suffocation; night sweats, loss of appetite, debility, swelling of the feet and ankles, raising of mucus, with severe fits of coughing, more particularly morning and evening, with a great prostration of strength and a disposition to be bolstered up when in bed—about the 20th of August I was reduced so low that my friends gave me up, as incurable; about this time I heard of the Vegetable Pulmonary BALSAM, and after much solicitation, was induced to make a trial—(all other remedies had failed,) and was surprised at the sudden relief it gave me. I continued taking the balsam until my health was restored; and do most cheerfully recommend it to all those who may be troubled with consumptive complaints. About the 10th of Feb. last I took a violent cold which brought on similar symptoms as above described. I immediately procured a bottle of the Balsam and found relief in a few days, which to me, is a very strong proof that it was the balsam that relieved me in the first instance.

#### REUBEN BLANCHARD.

Peabach, March 4, 1829.

#### Certificate of Ashley Martin.

This certifies that my wife having from youth up been troubled with the Asthma such as is termed Hereditary Asthma, was reduced so low that for the last ten years she has at times been considered beyond recovery, having a severe pain in her side, through her back and shoulders, with a pain and stricture across the chest, loss of appetite, severe cough, with a suffocating sensation; on lying down, being compelled to be bolstered up during the night, with great prostration of strength; after all remedies had failed she was advised to make use of the vegetable Pulmonary Balsam, and was entirely relieved by the use of two bottles; her complaints were removed, her appetite returned and she now enjoys better health than she has for ten years past.

#### ASHLEY MARTIN.

Peabach, January 17, 1828.

An eminent physician of N. Hampshire writes—  
"I am satisfied the Vegetable Pulmonary Balsam is a valuable medicine. It has lately been used with complete success in a severe lung complaint; attended with the raising of much blood, which has resisted every other prescription."

The wife of a Clergyman of Boston, was considered past recovering from a disease of the lungs, in the spring of 1823; whose restoration to health was ascribed, both by her physician and her husband, to the use of the Vegetable Pulmonary Balsam.

A child of Boston, aged 5 years, was attacked with the whooping cough early in the spring of 1823, and notwithstanding several remedies were prescribed for her relief, continued to suffer from violent paroxysms of coughing until Feb. 1829, when she was effectually relieved by four doses of the Vegetable Pulmonary Balsam.

An Agent from Maine writes as follows—  
"the sale of the Pulmonary Balsam increases, and I am happy to say that in very many instances in which I have heard from it, it gives good satisfaction, and I think is really a good article, and from this circumstance, and that of its moderate price, a good sale may be expected." Dated Feb. 21, 1828.

An agent in New-Hampshire states that the Vegetable Pulmonary Balsam is highly approved and recommended by their Physicians.

Many other certificates, from sources of the first respectability, may be examined on the bill of Directions. Price 50 cents a bottle. 6wly 47

#### TEN CASES PRINTS.

CHEAPER than ever, by 25 per cent, this day received and for sale by T. O. BRADLEY.

Portland, Oct. 23.

#### CELEBRATED ITCH & SALT Ointment.

PREPARED by Joel Miller. The great and merited reputation this ointment has acquired affords ample and conclusive truth of its being a cheap and efficacious cure for the Itch and Salt Rheum, and for many other eruptions of the skin, and may be used with safety by the most delicate constitutions, for sale by John P. Reeves, Druggist, Exchange-street, Portland, sole Agent for the N. E. States, where Druggists and others are solicited to call or send their orders to his address either for cash, credit or on commission. The above ointment is kept by Druggists in all the principal towns.—For sale at the Oxford Bookstore by Asa Barton, Agent.  
Norway, Feb. 9. 1yore

#### ELEGANT PARASOLS—Cheap.

201 Parasols, this day received from Philadelphia, for sale very cheap by THOS. O. BRADLEY.

Portland, June 30.

#### AT COST.

50 LEIGHORN HATS, by T. O. BRADLEY, Portland, June 23.



POETRY.

From the New-York Mirror.

FORGETFULNESS.

We parted—friendship's dream had cast  
Deep interest o'er the brief farewell,  
And left upon the shadowy past,  
Full many a thought on which to dwell  
Such thoughts as come in early youth,  
And live in fellowship with hope;  
Robed in the brilliant hues of truth,  
Unfitted with the world to cope.

We parted—he went o'er the sea,  
And deeper solitude was mine;  
Yet there remained in memory,  
For feeling, still a sacred shrine.  
And thought and hope were offered up  
Till their ethereal essence fled,  
And disappointment, from the cup,  
Its dark libations poured, instead.

We parted—'twas an idle dream  
That thus we e'er should meet again;  
For who that knew man's heart, would deem  
That it could long unchanged remain.  
He sought a foreign clime, and learned  
An other language, which expressed  
To strangers the rich thoughts that burned  
With unquenched power within his breast.

And soon he better loved to speak  
In those new accents than his own;  
His native tongue seemed cold and weak,  
To breathe the wakened passion's tone.  
He wandered far, and lingered long,  
And drank so deep of Lethe's stream,  
That each new feeling grew more strong,  
And all the past was like a dream.

We met—a few glad words were spoken,  
A few kind glances were exchanged;  
But friendship's first romance was broken,  
For his had been from me estranged.  
I felt it all—we met no more—  
My heart was true, but it was proud;  
Life's early confidence was o'er,  
And hope had set beneath a cloud.

We met no more—for neither sought  
To reunite the severed chain  
Of social intercourse; for nought  
Could join its parted links again.  
Too much of the wide world had been  
Between us for too long a time;  
And he had looked on many a scene,  
The beautiful and the sublime.

And he had themes on which to dwell,  
And memories that were not mine,  
Which formed a separating spell,  
And drew a mystic boundary line.  
His thoughts were wanderers—and the things  
Which brought back friendship's joys to me,  
To him were but the spirit's wings  
Which bore him o'er the distant sea.

For he had seen the evening star  
Glancing its ray o'er the ocean's waves,  
And marked the moonbeams from afar,  
Lighting the Grecian heroes' graves.  
And he had gazed on trees and flowers  
Beneath Italia's sunny skies,  
And listened, in fair ladies' hours,  
To genius' words and beauty's sighs.

His steps had echoed through the halls  
Of grandeur left desolate;  
And he had climbed the crumbling walls,  
Or op'd perforce the hingeless gate;  
And mused o'er many an ancient pile,  
In ruin still magnificent,  
Whose histories could the hours beguile  
With dreams, before to fancy lent.

Such recollections come to him,  
With moon, and stars, and summer flowers;  
To me they bring the shadows dim  
Of earlier and of happier hours.  
I would those shadows darker fell—  
For life, with its best powers to bless,  
Has but few memories loved so well,  
Or welcome as forgetfulness.

**NIGHT KEYS.**—The inventor of night keys must have congratulated himself upon having completed a very useful project, and well deserves the thanks of all husbands and sons of nocturnal habits, and all lazy maids and servants, who are fatigued with "answering the door." We have our apprehensions, that a night key, though a great convenience, will turn out to be a great evil. We say nothing about the facility with which the light-fingered gentry imitate those keys, and strip a hall of cloaks and hats;—we refer to a greater and more extensive scene of mischief resulting from the use of these night keys. Formerly, no head of a family retired unless all the members were at home or in bed, safe from mischief or dissipation; but now, almost every junior branch of the family has a night key, and it is difficult to say at what hour of the night or morning they betake themselves to rest. In illustration of this fact, we relate an anecdote: A good, easy, respectable head of a family, rich, and an early retiree to bed, had three sons, aged 23, 21, and 19.—They all had night keys—and the father, good, easy man, finding his boys at breakfast every morning concluded that they were regular in their hours of going to bed; but having some reason to suspect that all might not be right on this head, he determined to sit up and wait their arrival. At one, the youngest entered, rather surprised at seeing his father calmly seated by the fire and alone. "Where have you been, by son, to this late hour?" The lad stammered an apology or explanation—"I have been to the play, sir." "But this is out at 11 o'clock." "Yes, sir—but I met an ac-

quaintance, and we sat conversing about politics and military affairs until this time." "Well, sir, give me your night key and retire." At two the second son entered, and started back at seeing his father seated by the fire. "Up so late, father?" "Yes, sir, I was uneasy about you—where have you been?" "Why, I fell in with Dick Wildfire, Harry Lawless, and Charles Courtney, and over a solitary glass of whiskey punch, we forgot the hour—pray, how late is it?" "Too late an hour, sir, for you to be from home—give me your night key." The clock struck three, when the anxious father heard his eldest and favorite son open the door, and was struck with amazement and distress, at finding him drunk—"What father up so early—no, zounds I mean so late—confound this head-ache—sorry to keep you waiting—took a rubber at whist with an old hand—gave me one and played dummy—lost only eight dollar points." "But, sir, you are tipsy—nay, disgracefully drunk." "No, no, not drunk only a little boozey—why you must know that at one I left whist and was passing by my friend Dr. Cureall, when thinks I let see if the Doctor is at home, so I took out my Night Key and opened his door—went in and found not only a good fire but the supper table laid out and Doctor absent. Supposing he had a call I took a seat and helped myself to a wing of a chicken and drank a few glasses of Champagne—the Doctor came in and so we sat and finished the bottle and talked of medicine—the opera—fine arts and the fashions until the present time—that's all sir." The worthy father with a heavy heart betook himself to rest, resolved for the future to take a deeper interest in the fate of his children and see that they were safe in bed hereafter before he closed his eyes.

There are many fathers who should lose no time in demanding the Night Keys from their sons.

New York Courier and Enquirer.

MORE GOOD BARGAINS.

THE subscriber has just received his Fall supply of GOODS, which he is offering at the lowest prices—being an inducement for every one who wants "Bargains" to call.

AMONG THEM ARE  
Broadcloths, Cassimeres  
and Pelisse Cloths,

all prices, warranted to give satisfaction or the money refunded. Blue & Brown CAMELETS 2s., wide; do. 2s. 6d., & 3s.; PLAID 25 cts. 31 cts.; Green & Red Flannels 25 cts.; Pongees 50 cts.; Raw Silk Shawls 9s., 10s. 6d., & 12s.; Blk Lace Veils 1 to \$6; Blk Canton Crapes, best quality \$3.50; Fancy Hdks. 25 to 75 cts.; Calicoes 12 1-2 to 1s. excellent quality and colors; Brown Sheetings 6 1-4 and 7 cts.; Sheetings 2 and 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

Purchasers from the country may depend upon getting such goods as they will be satisfied with, and probably upon little better terms than can often be found.

**WILLIAM D. LITTLE.**  
FALVELL—Blue, Mixt, Black and Red YARN of good quality, if brought soon.  
Portland, Oct. 3, 1829. 3m15

NEW FALL GOODS

**ROGER'S & CUTLER,**  
No. 6, Mitchell's buildings, Middle-street, Portland.

HAVE recently received a prime assortment of NEW GOODS, which will be sold at very low prices, among which are—  
60 pieces Broad CROTUS of a great variety of colors and prices.  
25 pieces of CASSIMERES, blue, black, mix'd, &c.  
2 Bales of FANNELS, of all colors & prices: 8 1/4, 9 1/4, 10 1/4 and 11 1/4 BLANKETS;  
250 pieces Calicoes, from 12 1-2 cts to 2s.  
17 White Cambrics: Cambric Muslin: Irish Linens and Lawns: Plain and figured Muslins: Swiss Muslins, cheap: Valencia, Cashmere and Brocade Shawls: Fancy Silk Hdks: Flag and Bandanna Silk Hdks, a variety of Cotton do: Scotch Plaids and Cambrics, very cheap: Pelisse Flannels and Rattinets: Circassian, &c. Buttons: Threads: Tape: Silk: Twist: Duckram: padding and a great variety of trimmings and small articles.  
Also a grand assortment of  
**PELISSE AND HABIT CLOTHS**  
for Ladies wear, of a variety of colors at lower prices than before sold.  
1720 bales American Goods, such as Sheetings and Shirtings: Gingham: Checks: Cotton Batting: Pelisse Wedding: fine Dover and Waltham Cottons Unbleached: Warp Yarns and Sattinets.  
All the above are selling cheap for Cash, or will be exchanged at fair rates for Cotton and Wool, and all Wool Flannels. White and colored Wollen Yarn, &c. &c. Our country customers are requested to call.  
Portland, Oct. 14, 1829. Gw

SACRED MUSIC.

JUST received and for sale by Aas Barton, the 19th edition of Songs of the Temple, or, Bridgewater Collection of Sacred Music, containing several new and beautiful tunes, and pieces suitable for Thanksgiving and Christmas.  
Also—The Sabbath-school Psalmody, a plain little work for Sabbath-schools.  
Norway, Nov. 17. 21

Book and Job Printing

NEATLY EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE.

THE JOURNAL OF HEALTH.  
CONDUCTED BY AN ASSOCIATION OF PHYSICIANS.

"Health—the poor man's riches, the rich man's bliss."

THE primary object with the conductors of the Journal of Health, is to point out the means of preserving health and preventing disease. To attain this, all classes and both sexes shall be addressed, in a style familiar and friendly, and with an avoidance of such professional terms and allusions as would in any way obscure the subject or alarm the most fastidious. The fruits of much reading, study, and careful observation, shall be placed before them, so arranged and applied as to conduce most efficaciously to their bodily comfort and mental tranquillity. To whatever profession or calling they may belong, the readers of this Journal will find precepts susceptible of valuable application. Air, food, exercise, the reciprocal operation of mind and body, climate and localities, clothing and the physical education of children, are topics of permanent and pervading interest, with the discussion and elucidation of which the pages of the work will be mainly filled.

**RECOMMENDATION OF THE WORK.**  
We approve of the plan on which the publication, entitled the "Journal of Health" is conducted, and believe, that it is calculated to be useful, by enlightening public opinion on a subject of high importance to the welfare of society. The numbers which have appeared, evince talent, and may be viewed as a pledge of the continued usefulness of the publication, while conducted by its present editors. We, therefore, feel no hesitation in recommending it to public patronage.

Philadelphia, October, 13, 1829.

N. Chapman, M. D. Professors in the University of Pennsylvania.  
Wm. P. Dewees, M. D. University of Pennsylvania.  
Thos. G. James, M. D. University of Pennsylvania.  
Wm. E. Horner, M. D. University of Pennsylvania.  
John C. Otto, M. D. University of Pennsylvania.  
Thos. T. Hewson, M. D. University of Pennsylvania.  
Franklin Bache, M. D. University of Pennsylvania.  
Rev. James Montgomery, D. D. Rector of St. Stephen's Church.  
Wm. H. De Lancey, D. D. Provost of the University of Pennsylvania.  
B. B. Smith, Editor of the Philadelphia Recorder, and Rector of Grace Church.  
G. T. Bedell, Rector of St. Andrew's Church.  
James Abercrombie, D. D. Assistant Minister of Christ Ch. and St. Peter's.  
George Weller.  
Jackson Kemper, Assistant Minister of Christ Ch. and St. Peter's.  
Thomas H. Skinner, D. D. Pastor of the Fifth Presbyterian Church.  
Wm. M. Engles, Pastor of the Seventh Presbyterian Church.  
John Hughes, Pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church.  
Michael Hurley, Pastor of St. Augustine Catholic Church.  
Wm. H. Furness, Pastor of the first Congregational Church.  
W. T. Brantly, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Editor of the Catholic Advocate.  
Jm. L. Dagg, Pastor of the Fifth Baptist Church.  
Solomon Higgins, Pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Union Church.  
Manning Force, Pastor of St. George's Methodist Episcopal Church.

In addition to the above, the names of a number of highly esteemed members of the different professions, who are subscribers to the work, might be adduced as expressive of the estimation in which it is held. With one voice, the public press from one end of the continent to the other, has spoken of the Journal of Health in terms of unequivocal commendation.

TERMS.

The JOURNAL OF HEALTH will appear in Numbers of 16 pages each, octavo, on the second and fourth Wednesdays of every month. Price per annum, \$1 25, in advance. Subscriptions and communications (post paid) will be received by JUDAH DOBSON, Agent, No. 108 Chesnut-Street, Philadelphia.

Subscribers at a distance will discover, that the difficulty in remitting the amount of a single subscription will be obviated by any four of them sending on five dollars to the agent. Those to whom this may not be convenient, can receive sixteen numbers of the work by remitting a dollar to the same person.

The Journal of Health, including index, will form at the end of the year a volume of 400 pages, octavo.

AGENTS.—J. Dobson, 108 Chesnut-Street, Philadelphia; W. S. J. Neal, Baltimore, Wm. Burgess, 97 Fulton-street, New York; Carter & Hendee, Boston: and in most of the towns in the United States. 24

JOHN DAY

HAS RECEIVED HIS FALL SUPPLY OF CROCKERY,—China and Hard Ware GOODS, comprising an assortment of Shovels—Nails—polished Brass Kettles, a new article—Brass Fire Sets—Knives and Forks—Tea Trays—Hollow Ware—Brass and Japanned Candlesticks—warranted Brushes—Shovels and Tongs—Hemming and Saws Needles, warranted Good—Carpenter's Tools—House and Cabinet Trimmings—SILVER SPOONS—an extensive supply of

FANCY GOODS,

uitable for country trade.  
Wrought Canton COMBS, an elegant article, cheap—Elegant B. Print Dining Sets—sugar cur and moulded and common Glass Tumblers—Wines—Decanters, Plates, &c., assortment of C. C. edged and blue print Ware of every description, at wholesale and retail at the Furnishing Store for house-keepers.  
No. 11, Mussey's Row, Middle-Street, Portland, Sept. 16, 1829. 35

SCHOOL BOOKS.

THE following new and valuable School Books are kept constantly for sale at the OXFORD BOOKSTORE, by the dozen or single copy, viz.  
The AMERICAN FIRST CLASS BOOK, designed for the highest classes in public and private schools. By John Pierpont

The NATIONAL READER, calculated to take the place of the ENGLISH or MURRAY'S READER, in schools. This work is held in very high estimation in all schools in which it has been introduced. It was used in several schools in this county the last year.

"At a meeting of the School Committee of the city of Boston, holden at the Mayor and Aldermen's Room, July 2d, 1829.—Voted that 'Pierpont's National Reader' be introduced into the public grammar schools of this city, in lieu of 'Murray's English Reader,' after the visitation of the Schools in August.  
Attest: T. W. PHILLIPS,  
Secretary of the School Committee."

The INTRODUCTION to the NATIONAL READER. This Book is meant to take the stand occupied by the American Preceptor, Art of Reading, Columbian Reader, Understanding Reader, &c. Both of the above books are compiled by the Rev. Mr. Pierpont, who has long been one of the superintending school committee in Boston.

**BOSTON READING LESSONS,** for primary schools, a work well calculated as a reading book for young children.

The NATIONAL SPELLING BOOK decidedly preferable to any now in use. Also, The INTRODUCTION to the NATIONAL SPELLING BOOK well calculated for small scholars.

**GOODRICH'S GEOGRAPHY & ATLAS.** This Geography and Atlas is to say the least, equal to any others, in paper or print, while they are so arranged as to cost but two thirds as much as others as extensive as this. The proper names of Places, Rivers, Mountains, Seas, &c. are pronounced, which is of great value to the young Scholar.

The atlas, also, contains a large map in outline, to be filled up by the scholar thereby giving him a more practical knowledge of the construction of maps, than could be otherwise obtained.

**WALSH'S ARITHMETIC.** A new and improved edition. This work is already too well known to require a particular description, suffice it to say, that this edition is superior to any of the preceding.

**GOODRICH'S HISTORY of the UNITED STATES,** on an entirely new plan, adapted to the capacity of youth, and designed to aid the memory, by a systematic arrangement and interesting associations, illustrated with numerous engravings.

**ELEMENTS OF ARITHMETIC,** by questions and answers, a small work admirably well calculated for beginners in that study.

**MORSE'S GEOGRAPHY & ATLAS,** new edition.

**ADAMS' GEOGRAPHY and ATLAS,** ditto.

Biblical Reader—Classical Reader—and Columbian Reader, with most School Books in use, which will be sold low. ASA BARTON, Agent.

In the press, Lectures on School Keeping; being a complete Schoolmaster's manual: highly serviceable to every person engaged in the subject of common Schools. By S. R. Hill.  
Norway Village, Oct. 27. 9w18

PLUGGERS! PLUGGERS!

**J. B. CROSS & CO.**  
Nos. 4, 5, and 6, Union Street,

would solicit the attention of Farmers to Freeborn's "New-York improved patent Ploughs." J. B. C. & Co. are authorized by the inventor, to warrant them to perform in all kinds of soil, and to be perfectly strong, and will be sold for a less price than any other similar ploughs. Farmers who intend purchasing this article for the next season, will find it economy to try Freeborn's.  
Portland, Dec. 30. tf36

NEW FALL GOODS, FOR CASH.

**THOMAS O. BRADLEY,** Store No. 6, Mussey's Row, Middle-Street, Portland, has just received 52 Packages seasonable Goods—such as BROAD-CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, SILKS, Merino Shawls and Dry Goods of every description—(cheap for Cash only.)

Those indebted to the subscriber of more than three months standing must pay by the first of November, as all remaining unpaid at that time will be left with the Attorney for collection.  
Sept. 29, 1829.

CROCKERY WARE.

**H. WHITMAN,**  
At the store formerly occupied by Leach & Whitman, No. 6, Merchant's Row, keeps constantly on hand, assorted crates for country trade. Former customers of L. & W. are requested to call.  
Portland, June 17, 1829.

MER